

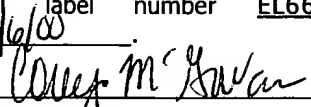
DECLARATION

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My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below, next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first, and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the above identified invention, the specification of which is attached hereto.

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I do not know and do not believe that the claimed invention was ever known or used in the United States of America before my invention thereof, or patented or described in any printed publication in any country before my invention thereof or more than one year prior to this application, that the same was not in public use or on sale in the United States of America more than one year prior to this application, and that the invention has not been patented or made the subject of an inventor's certificate Issued before the date of this application in any country foreign to the United States of America on an

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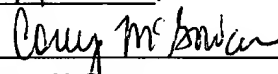
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ELECTION OF POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned, being Assignee of the entire interest in the above-identified application by virtue of an Assignment filed herewith, hereby elects under 37 C.F.R. § 3.71 to prosecute the application to the exclusion of the inventor.

The Assignee hereby revokes any previous Powers of Attorney and appoints: Dan C. Hu, Reg. No. 40,025, Fred G. Pruner, Jr., Reg. No. 40,779; Timothy N. Trop, Reg. No. 28,994; and Ruben S. Bains, Reg. No. 46,532, my patent attorneys, of TROP, PRUNER & HU, P.C., with offices located at 8554 Katy Freeway, Suite 100, Houston, TX 77024, telephone (713) 468-8880; and Hoyt A Fleming, III, Reg. No. 41,752, Paul A. Revis, Reg. No. 45,040, and Steven P. Arnold, Reg. No. 33,354 my patent attorneys, of MICRON ELECTRONICS, INC. with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application, to make alterations and amendments therein, to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith, to receive any Letters Patent, and for one year after issuance of such Letters Patent to file any request for a certificate of correction that may be deemed appropriate.

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